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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of:

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Serial No.: To Be Assigned

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For: SUBCUTANEOUS CAVITY MARKING
DEVICE AND METHOD

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Box Patent Application
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Dear Sir:

Prior to examination of this application, please make the following amendments and consider the following remarks:

AMENDMENTS

In the claims:

A clean version of the entire set of pending claims is as follows:

1. (amended) A subcutaneous cavity marking device comprising:

(a) at least one resilient bioabsorbable filler body, and